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## LOS ANGELES.

Last Monday the city of Los Angeles commemorated the 73d anniversary of the admission of the State into the Union, which occurred on September 5th, 1850. With all State, city and county offices closed in observance of Admission Day, a check revealed the fact that practically all business houses in the city, with the exception of banks were celebrating the State holiday by carrying out the slogan of "business as usual." While many of the big houses lentheenthed the lunch period to permit their employees sufficient time in which to view the sun eclipse, here and there was noted among the smaller stores a half holiday observance.

Native sons of Southern California took the lead in celebrating the anniversary. The Old Bear Flag was waving in California all day, side by side with the stars and stripes.

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After a lapse of a month or so, Mr. and Mrs. H. Briscoe have shown up unexpectedly among their innumerable acquaintance. The thing they were happy to say is that they will not slip out of town again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. King, of Sidney, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Smith now. The guests expect to spend several weeks with their old childhood friends. Mr. King and Mrs. E. M. Price were old pupils together in the Kendall School at the National Capital.

Mr. F. Shuford is wearing a heavily bandaged right hand as a result of meeting a serious accident, while working in the Olive Ticket Printing Office. It will be several weeks before he can return to work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruggero, Mr. I. Haworth and some others took their boat to Catalina Island in the hope of having an excellent view of the eclipse there. It is thought that they forgot their disappointment at not seeing it, owing to the gray clouds by enjoying the beauties of the island.

The residence of Miss L. Bible will soon be the scene of a very pleasant gathering of the students and graduates of Gallaudet College for the purpose of organizing a reunion. The scribe is planning this affair venturesly.

With the autumn season so rapidly approaching, the summer season is bringing all kinds of recreation and outing to an end. One can hardly realize the fact that September is at hand. The month calls for the opening of schools, colleges and universities; for the return of tourists to this Southern region in order to escape the cold winter; for hanging up straw-hats and spring suits; for beginning foot-ball practice in time to get into good shape for the contest games, etc.

Following the most terrible disaster in Japan, Berkeley herself experienced a great fire last Monday, resulting, owing to an insufficient supply of water, in the destruction of about two thousand homes and some building of the University of California. As a rule, a lighted match looks very small, but dangerous and it always develops into a big fire. It is said that a lighted match was carelessly thrown in the bushes in the hills on which many fine residences were located and near which the University of California is situated. A brush fire soon developed, and with the aid of heavy wind jumped toward the trees and houses. Fortunately, the Berkeley School for the Deaf, one mile south of the University is safe. This city sincerely sympathizes with those who have suffered the loss of their homes, and is doing the best it can to give aid to them.

It gives the scribe much pleasure to mention that on the first of this month, Cornelius Vanderbilt, nationally known writer, established newspaper of his own, "The Illustrated News." It is a pictorial newspaper, and is published every morning and sells for one cent. Temporary offices are Cor. 12th and Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles. This is in addition to the other morning papers, the Times and the Examiner.

It is hoped that the membership of the Los Angeles Silent Club will be increased to 200 very soon. It would place the city first among the deaf clubs of the Pacific Coast. The

local club has 175 active members at present, and its president is E. M. Price. He was the first president of a newly organized club with 16 members present in 21 years.

The joy of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McGowan was turned to gloom for sometime after their only daughter left last week for Burkeley to resume her studies. Now they have about got over it.

Mrs. J. S. Long departed last Sunday for Iowa by train, to resume her duties as teacher after several week's pleasant stay here. Prior to her departure, she was pleasantly honored with a nice farewell reception by a large party of her lady friends.

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Mr. Charles P. Dobbins, of Trenton, New Jersey; Mr. Armond V. Ronstadt of Tucson, Arizona and Mr. Robert G. Doal, of Oklahoma City, Okla., are also listed among the new arrivals. Mr. Dobbins, formerly of Gallaudet College, is visiting with his uncle in town, and will return home shortly. Mr. Ronstadt has located here permanently, and expects to start work at the Farmers and Merchants National Bank as a bookkeeper. Mr. Doal has decided to be a permanent Angelino and has also secured steady work.

For the benefit of those who wish to know the names of the nationwide notables enjoying the beauties of Los Angeles now, Hon. William J. Bryan and Tommy Gibbons are consequently named. The latter has been drawing great attention at the Pantages Theatre every evening since last week. By the way, the city went crazy with joy when Dempsey won the fight, though he almost lost his title.

I have to correct my recent statement in the JOURNAL of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruggero having a new home of their own, should have mentioned that they have postponed their plan of purchasing a home until later. Now they are closely located at 5007½ San Pedro Street. Mr. Ruggero is still with the City Post Office. E. M. PRICE.

September 20, 1923

## GALLAUDET HOME.

Several of the nights and early mornings of the third week of this charming month of September were pretty cold up here. Quite often the mercury was down below fifty degrees, and at such time it was none too warm to wear furs.

For the first time in many years the house was heated up by steam on the 16th of September, and so all who felt chilly or cold were made comfortable.

In its issue of Sunday, September 16th, the New York Times says:

"Only once before in 27 years

was it cold on September 15th, as it was yesterday. This was in 1913,

when the mercury dropped to 48 degrees, the low point recorded at local Weather Bureau at 6 o'clock yesterday morning."

Miss Pierson, wife of the matron, came all the way from her home, early in August, in Ossawa, Mich., to make Mrs. Jones a brief visit. Her 15 year old son, Edwin, accompanied his mother, and while here he was quite interested in the members of the family, and talked freely with them on paper and pencil. The guests left here on the morning of August 20th for home.

Before taking a train for Ossawa they travelled all over America's great metropolis in a bus to see the sights.

Sometime after reaching home, Edwin, who is a high school boy, wrote me, and said among

other things, "New York City cer-

tainly is a great city, and it seemed

to me as if we were in some other

universe, as I had never seen any-

thing so enormous as it before, al-

though I have been in many large

cities such as Chicago, Kansas City,

San Francisco, Los Angeles, San

Diego and Detroit."

Mr. Edward Halliey, who lives in Athenea, N. J., and who was a tutor at Fanwood about forty-five years ago, made this place a visit on the 24th of August. His wife and Mrs. Kevitt and daughter and son-in-

law were with him. His son-in-law drove the car in which they came.

Mrs. Kevitt expressed a wish to live here. She is too able-bodied a lady to be admitted just now. This place is only for the very old and infirm.

While Mr. Halliey and his folks were taking a look at the interior of the house, a Mrs. J. Powers, a lady friend of Mrs. Hattie Tobin, dropped in. She had come all the way from Trenton, N. J., with her daughter, Catherine, to pay Mrs. Tobin a few hours' visit.

On the morning of the 25th of August, long before dawn, Mrs. Eva Rusk, who was in her 81st year, and had been confined to her bed for several months, died of old age and heart failure.

On the 27th of August Rev. John H. Kent delivered a short, but impressive service over the remains of the deceased. The body of the departed was laid at rest at 2 P.M., in the family burial ground, about a thousand feet from the house.

When Mrs. Rusk was alive the number of women inmates was thirteen. On the 5th of September, however, a lady, Mrs. Kate Downs, of Osceola, a place near Rome, N. Y., was brought here to live for the remainder of her life. She was a pupil of the old Fauwood School, and is in her 70th year. She is nearly blind. And so again the unlucky number of 13 is on the women's side.

All the women here were educated at Fanwood. Seven of them are 80 years of age and over. Two of the twelve men are 81 years old.

All were glad to see Rev. Kent, who had not been up here for several months, on account of sickness and a serious operation he had recently undergone. He was looking well and strong.

At two o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th of August quite a crowd of visitors were here from Middletown, N. Y. They numbered over half a dozen persons, and were the relatives and friends of Mrs. Tobin.

The 13th of September was the 68th birthday of the Matron, Mrs. K. M. Jones, and she celebrated it in the old familiar way by treating the members of the family to a plate of ice-cream and some fruit. While visiting a relative up in Troy, last October, she fell on the stairs and broke her leg in two places. She met with that accident on the 13th day of the month, the day after she left here on her vacation.

After an absence of exactly four months and ten days, Mrs. Leary arrived here on the 20th of September. She was with her sister all summer.

At about 7 o'clock on the night of September 18th, just after the inmates had had their supper, and the domestics and other folks were having theirs, a heavy blast occurred at stone quarry, three-fourth of a mile from here, which shook the house from top to bottom. All who were at their supper rushed out with faces as pale as death. No doubt they thought it was something like the recent Japanese earth quake.

During the later part of September half a dozen men from Poughkeepsie were at work painting the hallways and some of the rooms of the Home.

Previous to her departure from London, England, for home, sweet home, Miss Elizabeth Peet sent this scribe a card with a picture of the old Canterbury Cathedral on it, and a few lines saying that she had travelled 1500 miles in a motor car through Scotland and lower England.

Mr. Charles C. McMann was up here on the 18th of September, looking fine after his return from his trip in the northern part of this State and lower Canada.

While the auto belonging to the Home was at the Post Office in Wappinger Falls, on the afternoon of the 7th of September, one of its axles broke, and for over a week it was not in use. While it was being repaired the janitor borrowed it to advantage for a few days, then something went wrong with it, then he was obliged to use the horse and carriage.

While Mr. Soper and Mr. J. H. Caton were in Poughkeepsie recently they somehow learned that the population of that town was 43,000.

We understand that the person

who goes by the assumed name of George Morton, and for whom a subscription is being raised to get him in the Ohio Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf, is no other than George R. Sharp, who was admitted to this Home on the 23d of last October, and who left here on the 13th of last July, because he said he had no desire to live on the bread of Charity any longer, and was going out to make his living with his own hands.

A description of this blind deaf man was recently sent me by a friend out in Columbus, Ohio, and it proves conclusively that this individual is no other than George R. Sharp himself. He is a medium sized man with a glass eye, dark hair and light mustache. His natural eye waters.

For an unknown length of time he was an inmate of the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf, at Doylestown, Pa.

Before leaving here he expressed a wish to go to Columbus, Ohio, where we learn he did go.

Miss Sarah Auguri, "The Boston Girl," so called, made this place a few days' visit late in September. It is her custom to make this Home a yearly stay of a couple of days or so. She left Boston on the 24th of September.

STANLEY.

Sept. 24, 1923.

## National Cathedral, for Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, September 10—Preparations are being made here today for the completion of the National Cathedral of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Although four million dollars has already been contributed only the apse of the great edifice on Mount St. Alban has been completed. It stands today higher than the Washington monument and overlooks the whole city. Recently, however, the Washington chapter of the church decided to push the work on the whole Cathedral so that it may be completed within five years.

The National Cathedral, although started during the administration of President McKinley, is really a fulfillment of President Washington's dream of a "church for national purposes," which was provided for in the original plans of L'Enfant for the National Capital. From the time that President McKinley attended the first open air services at the Cathedral every President, scores of cabinet officers and foreign diplomats and thousands of members of the Senate and House have been present on historic occasions at the Cathedral from the ceremonies following the conclusion of the Spanish-American war to the religious services in connection with the Conference on the Limitation of Armaments.

When the last stone has been placed and the Cathedral opened it will be one of the largest and finest church buildings in the world. Surrounding the foundation and apse which are now complete, are the National Cathedral School for Girls and a similar school for boys, a bishop's house, a library which is to be the most complete religious library in America and an amphitheatre which today accommodates 25,000 persons.

The next mammoth ceremony to be held at the Cathedral will be a public service on September 29th, in connection with the consecration of the bishop-elect of Washington, the Rev. Dr. James E. Freeman. The amphitheatre is being prepared for a great outdoor service in connection with the consecration services.

## Diocese of Maryland.

Rev. O. J. Whildin, General Missionary, 2100 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md.

Baltimore—Grace Mission, Grace and St. Peter's Church, Park Ave. and Mount St.

SERVICES.

First Sunday, Holy Communion and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Address, 3:15 P.M.

Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Fifth Sunday, Litany, or Anti-Communion and Service, 3:15 P.M.

Cathedral—St. Paul's, Second Sunday, 3:15 P.M.

Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the First, 4:30 P.M.

Guild and other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.

Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 3:15 P.M.

Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.

Cumberland—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Monday, 8 P.M.

Other Places by Appointment.

## Sir Joshua Reynolds.

The life of Sir Joshua Reynolds, who was perhaps the very greatest portrait painter that ever lived, is of peculiar interest to the deaf, for the reason that he was deaf. Certainly, he was not deaf and dumb, but he was a sufferer from deafness; therefore we are entitled to claim him as one of ourselves. We believe that nothing but good can result from the publication of the biographies of eminent men who have suffered from the same affliction as that under which we labor.

Sir Joshua Reynolds was born at a little town called Plympton, about four miles from Plymouth, in the year 1723. He was the son of a clergyman, and his home was situated in one of the most beautiful counties in England, noted for its green-clad hills, and its clear, swiftly flowing streams.

As a boy, he was fond of drawing, and made sketches of anything that took his fancy. Once, during a service in the church, he wished to make a picture of the minister. Having no paper, he made a sketch of the queer little man on his thumb nail. As soon as he reached home he enlarged the sketch and painted it with common paints, using a piece of an old sail for canvas. His father was interested in the clever sketch, although he desired the boy to study for pharmacy. In the end, Mr. Reynolds allowed his son to follow his natural bent, and he took him to London and apprenticed him to Mr. Hudson, the chief portrait painter of the day. The boy was to work for four years with his teacher, but he made such rapid progress that by the time he had spent two years there he could do better work than his master. Young Reynolds parted company with Mr. Hudson, and settled in Plymouth, near his home.

In Devonshire, he painted portraits of the best known people in the neighbourhood, and made many friends and admirers. Three years later he was invited to go for a cruise with Admiral Keppel, and as he had always had a great ambition to travel, he was naturally delighted. He painted portraits in Minorca, spent two years in Rome, and visited Florence, Venice, and other art centres. He caught a violent cold while working from pictures in the Vatican, and was always partially deaf after this. At Venice he learned a great deal about color, and was afterwards spoken of by Ruskin as one of the greatest colorists in the world.

Settling in London, his portraits of the Misses Gunning and of Admiral Keppel secured his position as the leading portrait painter of the day. Among his wide circle of friends were Burke, Johnson, Goldsmith, Hogarth, and Garrick. In 1777 he painted the Marlborough family portraits, and in 1779 he designed the windows for New College, Oxford. In 1781 and 1783 he visited the Netherlands, and his interesting notes as well as his addresses to the

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## Gallaudet College.

The College doors swung open to the incoming students on September the nineteenth, and approximately one hundred and thirty young men and women registered. This is a little short of last years total. The professors were all on hand, and the work began in earnest the day following. Professor Day will take the class in Logic and Professor Skyberg the class in Botany. Mr. Elstad will devote his attention to the freshmen classes. Outside these there are no other changes in the curriculum. The weather has been most disgusting the last few days and has proved discouraging to many of the new comers. The usual fall weather here in former years has been lovely.

It was with most profound sorrow and regret that the students received the news of the death of our beloved Dr. Edward Allen Fay, vice-president emeritus of the College, who passed away last July. Dr. Hall made the announcement of his passing in the chapel immediately on the opening of College. It was well known on the Green last year that Dr. Fay was in poor health, but his death comes as a shock to us.

Dr. Fay was our most learned professor and his passing leaves place that cannot be filled. Although there is hardly one here, now, who was blessed with instruction under Dr. Fay, there is not one of us who does not hold the deepest admiration and respect for him. With those fortunate enough to have had him teach them there is a debt which will be hard to pay, and it is only through the efforts of men like Dr. Fay that our College has reached to present high level.

A call for football men was issued day after registration, and about thirty-two men responded with Ernest G. Langenberg, '24, star half back as captain. The usual number of preps showed up, but we have no line on them yet. The squad is greatly strengthened by the return of Albert "Rosy" Rose, a one hundred and eighty pound full-back, who travels like a motor truck.

Coach Hughes attended the summer school for coaches at the University of Illinois and is there with the boots on.

Mr. Oscar D. Quire, '21, now assistant in chemistry here, seems quite happy to be on the Green again. He is continuing his study at George Washington University in this city.

Mr. Theodore Griffing has been chosen head Senior at College Hall, while Miss Ella Clarkson represents the better half of the College at Fowler Hall.

The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. jointly gave a "Get acquainted party" Saturday evening in the chapel. And each upperclassman took a newcomer and introduced him or her around. The new students are certainly a pleasant lot, especially those from Fowler Hall.

The buildings were all more or less trimmed up by interior decorators during the summer and have an attractive appearance. Prof. Hughes will shortly move into the house or faculty row vacated by Mrs. Hotchkiss, who has moved to New York, and Dr. Ely will probably move into the house occupied by Dr. Fay.

Professor Drake occupied the pulpit Sunday in the first of the series of afternoon lectures in the chapel.

Several Seniors and Juniors are taking classes in the Kendall School in preparation for future work.

James B. Beauchamp, '25, will continue to write the weekly letter from Kendall Green. Only a few elections have been held so far, but plenty business meetings are on for next week. Birney Wright, '27, has been chosen official photographer and Nick Braunagel, '27, has been chosen cheer leader.

The preps met Prof. Craig, M. M., Sunday evening. Nuff sed.

The College lists are as follows:

## NORMALS

Will Blattner, University of Wisconsin, Oklahoma.  
Chas. Graw, Westminster College, Missouri.  
Roy Nilson, Gooding College, Idaho.  
John Ghoone, Illinois Normal, Minnesota.  
Miss Adda Dunlap, Hood College, West Virginia.  
Miss Verde Lott, Mississippi Woman's College, Mississippi.

## SENIORS

John T. Boatwright, South Carolina  
Ella B. Clarkson, South Carolina  
T. W. Griffing, Oklahoma  
Elizabeth Hassett, Pennsylvania  
Uriel Jones, Florida  
John P. Kirby, New York  
E. G. Langenberg, Wisconsin  
Eugene McConnell, Ohio  
Harland Markel, Pennsylvania  
Helen W. Pence, Ohio  
Mario Santini, Connecticut  
Alfred Stephens, Oklahoma  
Roger Williams, Ohio  
Lalla Wilson, Florida  
Nathan Zimble, Pennsylvania  
Nathan Lahn, Kansas

## JUNIORS

Phoda Cohen, Massachusetts  
Harry Danofsky, Massachusetts  
Mary E. Dobson, Iowa  
W. Edwards, South Carolina  
Chas. J. Falk, Nebraska  
Margaret Jackson, New Jersey

Tillie Makowski, Nebraska  
Mildred Markstoed, North Dakota  
John E. Penn, Virginia  
Emma Sandberg, Colorado  
Benjamin B. Yaffey, Virginia  
James B. Beauchamp, Kentucky

## SOPHOMORES

Robert Bradley, South Carolina  
George Broohins, Oregon  
Byron Burns, Alabama  
Janie Curry, South Carolina  
Robert Fletcher, Alabama  
Edward Kaecher, Pennsylvania  
Victor Knauß, Ohio  
Marie Marino, Connecticut  
Ethel Newman, Washington  
Louis Pucci, District of Columbia  
John S. Reed, Jr., Nebraska  
John Wallace, Washington  
John S. Young, Canada

## FRESHMEN

N. Braunagel, North Dakota  
Mary L. Brookes, Missouri  
Oleta Brothers, Ohio  
Edmund Bumann, Nebraska  
Estelle Caldwell, Texas  
Joseph Collins, Texas  
E. Crump, District of Columbia  
Freeman Davis, Alabama  
Esther Forsman, New Jersey  
Barney Golden, Alabama  
William H. Grow, Kentucky  
Rolf K. Harmen, North Dakota  
Casper Jacobson, Washington  
Mary E. Kannapell, Kentucky  
Chas. J. Killian, Pennsylvania  
Walter Krug, California  
Sidney McCall, Maryland  
Reginald McCready, Oklahoma  
Lillian McFarland, North Carolina  
Theodore Marsden, Connecticut  
Ethel Mason, Washington  
Fern Newton, Iowa  
Edythe Ozbun, Kansas  
Norman Scarvie, Iowa  
Luther Shibley, Arkansas  
Edward Szopa, New Hampshire  
Birney Wright, Washington  
Marcus Zenor, Colorado  
Albert J. Rose, Missouri

## PIRFS

Peter Stewart, Canada  
Leo L. Lewis, Texas  
Bernard Moore, Virginia  
Raymond Anderson, Iowa  
Walter Mannen, Illinois  
John Scheneman, Nebraska  
Emil Henrikson, Nebraska  
William Riddle, South Carolina  
Glenn Arthur Gallagher, Missouri  
James A. Neighbors, Illinois  
Leon S. Heinrich, Indiana  
John Deady, Connecticut  
William Johnson, Illinois  
Burtis Turner, Missouri  
Louis B. Massinkoff, Illinois  
John Hill, Ohio  
Charles Miller, Ohio  
Floyd Brower, Idaho  
William Landry, New Jersey  
David McClary, Oklahoma  
Gordon Allen, Oklahoma  
Obie Andie Nunn, Virginia  
John Alto, Massachusetts  
Stanley Bondick, Illinois  
Carey Cook Shaw, Texas  
Katherine Anthony, Oklahoma  
Mabel Armstrong, Idaho  
Lillian Bainer, Maryland  
Thelma Callahan, South Carolina  
Dorthy Clark, Colorado  
Mabel Dougan, Connecticut  
Lucille DuBoise, South Carolina  
Myrtle Gillenwater, Virginia  
Gladys Hansen, Minnesota  
Ruth Holland, California  
Mabel Johnson, Nebraska  
Mary Kelch, Ohio  
Mirian Kelly, Mississippi  
Bernice Krueger, New York  
Helen Leszczynski, Pennsylvania  
Alice McVan, New York  
Bertha Mulbern, Minnesota  
Marie Parker, Illinois  
Cora Phillips, Oklahoma  
Ruth Price, Oklahoma  
Ethel Strode, Idaho  
Emilia Sturm, North Dakota  
Vera Tinney, Wisconsin  
Kikue Urai, California

At the Convention in Atlanta during the summer the Alumni of the College voted funds to organize the Gallandt Alumni fund similar to the Garfield Memorial fund. The Alumni fund is for the benefit of the women students. The Garfield fund is for the men. The Alumni also gave a neat sum to increase the Garfield fund, which has been very small. This is certainly a splendid step forward. Dr. Hall made this announcement in the Chapel last week.

News of a very narrow escape of Dr. Ely and his family in an auto accident while enroute to college from Connecticut, has just leaked out. While driving on the highway, near Harrisburg, Pa., the car skidded on the concrete road during a shower and striking a telephone pole rolled down a hill-side. Fortunately no one was injured, but the escape was something short of a miracle.

The car was only slightly damaged. Within an hour of this two other accidents occurred at that very spot.

The foot-ball prospects this year are good in spite of the scarcity of material and lack of weight. The newcomers are out in goodly number, but lack experience. Those from Illinois, who were coached by Robey Burns are showing fine. The first game is now only two weeks off, and the team has a very formidable opponent in Western Maryland College. Strenuous workouts are on the bill for the remainder of this week.

Eight men were lost by graduation last year, and this years Varsity will be composed most likely of Capt. Langenberg, Lahn Rose, Boatwright, Wallace, Falk, Szopa, Young Pucci, Davis, Buman and Bradley.

Margaret Jackson and Johnson look best

among the preps, but we haven't had time to find the real value of them all.

The team went out to watch Randolph Macon play University of Maryland Saturday afternoon and saw some good football.

The schedule is as follows:

Oct. 13—Western Maryland, Kendall Green.  
20—Quantico-Marines, away  
27—St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia.

Nov. 3—Camp Meade (pending), Kendall Green.  
10—Drexel Institute, Philadelphia.  
17—Randolph-Macon, Kendall Green.  
24—Gettysburg, away.

The O. W. L. S had their first annual meeting Saturday evening, and the proposed party went blooey. However there are plenty of good times listed on the first term calendar.

The Preps were a sight for sore-eyes when they appeared Sunday morning, wearing screaming yellow caps with red bottoms and red bills. These caps were fitted on the night before by Craig, M. M. Craig's course in calculus has proved quite puzzling to some of these new men.

We are very sorry to report the passing of Rolf Harmsen from the college lists. Hermen has left for his home in North Dakota. And thus the college has lost half its track team.

The elections in the Kappa Gamma Fraternity are as follows:

Grand Rajah, John T. Boatwright, '24  
Kamoo, James B. Beauchamp, '25  
Tabbed, Robert Fletcher, '26  
Mukhtar, B. E. Yaffey, '25  
Abbas Tekoh, Ernest B. Langenberg, '24  
Charophylax, Theodore W. Griffing, '24  
Razathaka, Byras B. Burns, '26  
Kedem, Robert Bradley, '26  
Ibn Phillipian, Uriel C. Jones, '24  
Et Tabeze, Nathan Lahn, '24  
Et Thaibar, Edward F. Kaecher, '24  
Greetings!, Nathan Zimble, '24

The Athletic Association held its first meeting the twenty-ninth, and elected the following officers: President Eugene McConnell, '24; First Vice-President, Charles Falk, '25; Second Vice-President, Edward Kaecher, '26; Secretary, Walter Krug, '27, and Treasurer, Vic. Knauss, '26.

Prof. Hughes greased up his movie outfit and unwound four reels of movies for the students, Friday evening.

One reel showed the N. A. D. Convention, which was immensely enjoyed by the crowd. We recognized quite a few.

The Buff and Blue board voted to publish a memorial number for the late Dr. Edward Allen Fay. The edition will appear about mid-winter as considerable time is required to arrange the articles.

School for Blind to be Conducted by Prof. Ben De Castro.

President Porras will inaugurate a public evening school for the blind, which will be conducted in the Manuel Jose Hurado's School, 14th Street, near Avenue A, on October first.

Professor De Castro well known

deaf and dumb teacher will be in charge of the school under appointment by Dr. Octavio Mendez Perez, Secretary of Public Instruction. Prof. De Castro has been doing splendid work among these unfortunate at the school conducted in the Art and Craft Institution and no better choice could be made.

Professor De Castro will meet his blind pupils on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights from 7:15 to 9:15 o'clock. He will teach them to speak by signs at first, then later by touch on raised letters and by other methods.

Those of the blind who can only speak English must attend on Monday and Tuesday nights. Those who only speak Spanish will be taught on Thursday and Friday nights. The tuition is absolutely free.

It is certain that blind folk will take advantage of this opportunity to improve their knowledge; especially as many of them are children and young men and women and the education offered them now will surely be of material benefit to them, for the possibility to being able to read will add cheer to the monotonous life that is theirs.

Professor De Castro who is himself a deaf-mute claims that it is not half as difficult to teach the blind as it is to teach the deaf and dumb.

Those of the blind who can only

speak English must attend on Monday and Tuesday nights. Those who only speak Spanish will be taught on Thursday and Friday nights. The tuition is absolutely free.

It is certain that blind folk will take advantage of this opportunity to improve their knowledge; especially as many of them are children and young men and women and the education offered them now will surely be of material benefit to them, for the possibility to being able to read will add cheer to the monotonous life that is theirs.

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This sign was hung on his chest and there was a cup in his hand.

Victor Socos of New Orleans, a deaf-mute and a new arrival in the city was delighted to see him. Victor bailed him in sign language and asked to be directed to a hotel.

The beggar couldn't answer in intelligible signs.

Victor went to the police station and wrote out a statement.

The beggar, Herman Sommers, was jailed as a fakir.—*Tulsa paper*, Sept. 24.

Peter J. Kiernan, who was suc-

cessfully operated upon in St. Luke's

Hospital last August for gastric

ulcer of the stomach, returned to his

job on Thursday, September 27th.

He says he is feeling fine and gain-

ing in weight.

## CHICAGO.

"I sure believe in signs, ah me,  
I do on signs forever!"  
Exclaimed Chicago's young Fred Lee—  
By George, the kid is clever!  
And so all day he maketh signs—  
Of malted milk, of honey,  
Of oleo, of Volated wines,  
And jove—he rakes in money.  
He maketh signs, he paints them well,  
And Cusack's signs they surely sell.

The team went out to watch Randolph Macon play University of Maryland Saturday afternoon and saw some good football.

The schedule is as follows:

Oct. 13—Western Maryland, Kendall Green.  
20—Quantico-Marines, away  
27—St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia.

Nov. 3—Camp Meade (pending), Kendall Green.  
10—Drexel Institute, Philadelphia.  
17—Randolph-Macon, Kendall Green.  
24—Gettysburg, away.

The O. W. L. S had their first annual meeting Saturday evening, and the proposed party went blooey. However there are plenty of good times listed on the first term calendar.

The Preps were a sight for sore-eyes when they appeared Sunday morning, wearing screaming yellow caps with red bottoms and red bills. These caps were fitted on the night before by Craig, M. M. Craig's course in calculus has proved quite puzzling to some of these new men.

We are very sorry to report the passing of Rolf Harmsen from the college lists. Hermen has left for his home in North Dakota. And thus the college has lost half its track team.

Lee came to Chicago this month from Lincoln, Neb., and promptly started to hunt a job.

Next day he landed a steady position as pictorial sign-painter with the Thos. Cusack Co. Now the Union piece-rate scale for that work ranges from \$65 to \$100 per week, so young Lee seems to have made good with a bang. They work five day of eight hours each—or a 40-hour week.

Lee is 25, unmarried. Entered Gallaudet College in '19, remaining two years. Also spent two years studying art at the University of Nebraska. Worked for the Lincoln theatres, painting scenery and posters, and changing curtains and scenery during performance.

In the course of his work the lean, lanky lad met and became personally acquainted with such notables as Jane Cowl, Henry Walthall, Theo Roberts, and our own Helen Keller. He has a lovely photo of the immortal Helen, charmingly inscribed and autographed in her peculiar penmanship.

Lee proposes to study three

nights per week, stage and costume

designing in the Chicago Academy of Fine Arts, at Michigan and Madison.

Another deaf man made good,

Chicago—the city of Silent Opportunity!

By the way—(I'll name no names, but possibly this touches you yourself) there are several other deaf folks in Chicago hunting jobs whom I hardly think will land one commensurate with their merits.

Cause why? Because they look, address and act like fair-to-midlin', down-and-unders. One such came into my plant the other night, hunting work; at first I sized him up as a weak-witted \$10 per week "hearing" errand boy. But no, he turned out to be a deaf Union printer, expected work at \$50 to \$60 per week.

Who in blue blazes is apt to hire a deaf man for one of those super-salaried jobs when his appearance advertises to all the world "here goes a failure!"

If you can deliver the goods, you should be able to make big money in Chicago—with patience and perspiration. But if you come, come dressed like a successful man; throw back your head and bluff it through as an ace-high, guilt-edged, 100 per cent workman. "The world takes you at your own valuation."

# NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Staten Island, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal or card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

**GREATER N. Y. N. A. D. BRANCH.**

The Greater New York Branch of the National Association of the Deaf held a meeting in the chapel of the New York Institution (Fanwood), on Saturday evening, September 29th. Over one hundred and fifty attended.

President Gillen presided, and Secretary Braddock recorded, and Treasurer Frankenstein collected over \$90 in dues.

Among other things it was decided to hold a banquet on the anniversary of the founder of the first school in America—Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet.

To give a ball on March 1st, in order to raise funds to carry on the good work it has mapped out—for without funds nothing can be done.

The Association is favorably inclined to holding the next N. A. D. meeting in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1926, when that city will celebrate the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of Declaration of Independence by an exposition, and excursion rates will prevail from all quarters, thus insuring the largest attendance in the history of the organization.

## XAVIER ALLIED NOTES

Announcement having already been made by Rev. Father Egan of the first and third Sunday meetings of the Xavier Ephphatha Society, it is to be expected more than the average attendance will show at the meeting this Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at St. Francis Xavier's.

Celebration of Mass at 9 A.M., on the third Sunday of each month will be continued. The meeting next Sunday, concluding sermon and Benediction, will find President Fives presiding, and matters pertaining to X. E. S. affairs discussed.

Quite an array of new members are listed, and in co-operation with Father Egan, President Fives' effort to build up the prestige of the X. E. S. deserves encouragement and support from all the Catholic deaf.

Catechism and religious instruction for the Catholic pupils attending the Fanwood School was resumed at St. Rose's Church, Friday evening a week ago. The number of pupils attending were a few less than registered at the close of last term, when around 80 boys and girls responded to the roll. All were evidently happy to meet Father McCaffrey and the Ephphetas he has engaged as teachers. Absence of Mr. William F. May, due to a new place of business as a chemist ever in New Jersey, was made good by Mr. Jerry V. Fives responding to Rev. Director's request to fill his place. Both Fives and May have the distinction of completing a two years' at Xavier College. Whereupon Billy decided on Gallaudet College, while Jerry figured out the proper thing was to join the Merenthaler ranks.

Mr. Thomas Cosgrove, a former pupil at St. Rose's, and one of Prof. Gardner's last year's class as teacher at Fanwood, will be associated with Mr. Fives in conduct of affairs. Father McCaffrey has decided to take an extra course in signs, and in addition to Fathers Hester and Giblin, who have the silent art at their finger ends, the pupils will have the benefit of competent teachers in Mrs. Anna Collins, Mrs. Richard Drean, Miss E. Baumann, Messrs Saracino, McGovern, Bonvallion, McCarthy and Mazzola, the latter two senior Fanwood cadets.

Through a friend, it is learned Miss Emily Hopping, Chicago Ephphatha Society, expresses herself in a letter as hopeful the X. E. S. may continue meeting with success. That's right, Em! As you say, many of the deaf here as well as in Chicago overlook the fact they are not abiding by the expressed wish of Pius X to obtain the privileges and indulgences granted all who have enrolled themselves as members of a Catholic Centre or Mission for the Deaf. Still President Fives is optimistic.

## H. A. D.

A good sized audience greeted the opening of the regular Friday evening services at the S. W. J. D. Building on September 28th. Rabbi A. J. Amateau gave a forcible sermon on "Making the Most of our Opportunities." He will again occupy the pulpit this Friday evening, October 5th.

Services start at 8:30 P.M., usually followed by a "social" at close. Everybody is welcome.

## BRONX FRATS

Bronx Division, No. 92, N. F. S., is getting ready for its Hallowe'en party on October 27th, according to Chairman Matty Blake. There is a surprise in store for those who attend. What this is may be told later on, and then again, it may not. A large delegation of Connecticut Frats has written Chairman Blake promising to be on hand and renew acquaintances.

# DETROIT

[News items for this column may be sent to Mrs. C. C. Colby, 688 Baldwin Avenue. A few words of information in a letter or card is sufficient. We will do the rest.]

Mrs. G. Engel, one of the earnest workers of the Ladies' Guild and a member of the Ephphatha Mission, is in charge of the coming October social—"Hallowe'en," which will be held on Friday evening, the fifth of October.

Detroit Association of the Deaf had a regular business meeting on the evening of Friday of the 14th. The attendance was very large. Several important transactions were debated upon and passed. Mr. Seppanen was appointed Chairman to give a social for the benefit of the Athletic fund, which was held on the evening of September 22d. It was successful. D. A. D. is planning to give a grand masquerade ball on the evening of January 19th. The Masonic Temple on Concordia was secured for this purpose. The particulars will be given in the next issue, and the affair promises to be one of the most enjoyable and best attended event of the season.

There are a number of deaf living out in Halfway, Mich. Beside Mr. and Mrs. Atchisson Scott, there are Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hardensburg, who live on Town Hall Road, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, near Kern Road.

Ms. and Mrs. Roy Vinegar and child, with Miss Grace Hardensburg, who staid two weeks with them in Flint, Mich., came to Hardensburg's place September 9th, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and a few relatives were there chattering of good old times.

Dr. H. H. MacLachlan has just sent out cards announcing the opening of an office September 17th, at 4213 Libernois, Cor. of Michigan, for the general practice of dentistry. The young Doctor is an only son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. MacLachlan, and graduated from the School of Dentistry at Ann Arbor. Congratulations.

Roy Vinegar, who works as a draftsman at Buick factory in Flint, is a wonderful mechanic. He knows every inch of the engine of Buick car. Two weeks ago the Scotts, who have a new Buick car called on the Hardensburgs, and fortunately found Roy Vinegar and wife were there, as the Scotts were "green" about their car, and wanted to be educated with it. So Roy vinegar instructed them. The Scotts now know how to clean and repair and drive the car.

This over, those who cared indulged in dancing, but soon the floor was cleared, and as soon as all had been seated, some real dancing was exhibited by professionals by Haley and Bendle, Mr. and Mrs. Patsy King and Miss Viola Wood. They were to give each one of the latest dances, but instead they treat ed the spectators to eight.

Miss Viola Wood in a new Frisco dance was hard to beat, even on any stage.

Patsy King and Viola Wood in "Bowery" were grand, and had Harry Hill, who for many years conducted a dance hall in the heart of the Old Bowery, been able to rise from his grace and seen this dance, he no doubt would have declared that it surpassed even these original dances pulled off nighly in his establishment.

The toe dance by Miss Viola Wood, the eccentric and whirlwind, the Argentine tango and finally the Spanish dance were greatly enjoyed by all.

The rest of the evening was devoted to dancing and conversation, and at twelve the affair terminated.

The music was fine, there being several numbers which were composed especially for the professional dancers.

Taken all in all, the affair was a success in every way, and the Newark Frats are to be congratulated for having Charles Quigley as a member, who conducted the affair, and to whom deserves great credit, and also to his assistant for their untired efforts.

A birthday surprise party was successfully pulled off on Saturday evening, September 22d. The victim, or rather the happy one was Mrs. Albert Dirkes. In her absence Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Ehret had arranged a fine supper, and other friends helped to decorate the rooms.

Mrs. Dirkes received many useful and ornamental presents from her friends on the occasion, which will be a happy reminder for many years to come. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Dirkes, Miss Martha O'Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Ehret, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Jelinek, Mr. Otto A. Jelinek, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Flury, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pensky and many others.

Mr. Henry Mueller, a member of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, has purchased a homestead in Rumson, N. J., and gone to live there permanently. He used to be instructor of carpentry at the Lexington Avenue School, and later worked at the Y. M. C. A. rooms as an all around repair man. He was at the rooms of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League last week, looking as brown as berry, and stated that though he misses his deaf friends, he was contented and happy in his new home.

On Sunday, September 30th, Mr. Hirsch Friedman announced his engagement to Miss Bessie Levy to his friends at the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, which took place that very day. The date of the marriage will be made known later.

John Braethwaite, the Detroit Division's dignified Secretary, is back from his vacation of two weeks in Canada.

The Lospinger family returned home after two weeks' visit in Canada.

Ivor and Harry Friday, who went to Chicago in their machine Labor Day week, brought their families and Mr. Thompson, brother of Mrs. Ivor Friday, home to Royal Oak sometime ago.

Among those who have registered at the Detroit Association of the Deaf during the past two months are: S. Trine, W. A. Stebelton, J. B. Tripp and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Leach, all of Flint, Mich.; S. C. Young and Ben Cone from Canada; A. Weaver, California; H. Harper and E. M. Sutter, Alabama; E. J. Griffin, Connecticut; C. S. Scott, Indiana; Thomas Demahy and Charles Wachuta, Ohio, and Morris Hainich, New York.

Mrs. C. C. C.

## FLINT.

By the non-appearance of letters from this burg since last fall it must not be surmised that life among the deaf folks of this city has been at a standstill. Fact is it has been very much alive and lively all through the year in various lines of work and endeavor.

Parties, socials and gatherings of different kinds and nature galore have been the rule. Every one of them was successful and pleasant, to say the least.

A large number of the deaf have come and gone, some to look for employment and some to visit. It would appear to be waste of time and space to recount them. However a few events of recent date will be mentioned here.

The deaf population of this city has been augmented by the arrival of a score or so in the last few weeks due in a measure to the expected starting up of the great Durant auto factory, which is being built and nearly completed. Production of the several models of the Durant cars is expected to commence the latter part of this month. Who of the deaf will be the first to be employed is arousing considerable interest among them just now. Of course, the production will be small at the start, but as soon as it is in full blast it is expected that 8000 men will be employed. This means a larger city.

Just now considerable attention is being given by the officers of Flint Social Club to the matter of securing a new hall for its use as soon as the lease of the present quarters expires next spring.

Although the room on Buckman Street is adequate to the ordinary needs of the club, it has been growing smaller and smaller owing to the fact that it is constantly enrolling new members. At the last meeting seven new members were announced, and it presages a large increase in the course of next few months. Besides this, it is understood that the telephone company which leases the two upper stories of the building north of its own building, extending over three stores, is desirous of occupying the quarters taken by the club for some purpose of its own as soon as the time is up. The club officers are on the alert for larger and more commodious quarters.

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The Board of Directors choose the following Committees: Cadet First Sergeant Joseph Krassner, Baseball Captain; Cadet Lieutenant and Band Leader Richard Pokorny, Basketball Captain; Cadet Drum Major James Garrick, Track Captain; Cadet Philip Bickman, Wrestling Captain; Cadet Musician Morris Forman, Handball Captain; Cadet Lieutenant Raymond McCarthy, Tennis Captain.

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## FANWOOD.

The following is taken from *Nature*:

What was the fate of Augustin Le Prince, a pioneer in the Motion Picture Industry?

Augustin Le Prince has rarely been recognized as one of the pioneers in cinematography. Mr. E. Kilburn Scott, who knew him personally, recently lectured before the Royal Photographic Society on his work in this direction, and a report of the lecture is given in the current number of the society's journal. Mr. Scott considers it established that Le Prince was the first to make a successful camera to take photographs at more than sixteen in a second, was the first to show moving pictures on a screen (at Leeds in 1889), was the first to appreciate the importance of using flexible film (he is stated to have used celluloid films before September, 1890), and was the first to use perforations and sprocket wheels (patents dated 1888). Le Prince's career came to an extraordinary end. He was last seen on September 16th, 1890, at Dijon, entering a train for Paris, but since then nothing whatever seems to be known of him. One suggestion was that he might have been kidnapped by agents of American inventors whom he had forestalled.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wahowiak departed for their old home at Gladstone, Upper Michigan, last week in an effort of disposing of their property there, and then returning to Flint. Mr. Wahowiak also hopes to recover fully from an ailment he has been suffering from in the last few weeks.

James Gibney, of Chicago, visited his brother William here for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Beach moved to Detroit in August. Mr. Beach having secured employment in the Fisher Body factory there. Their many friends here are sorry to see them leave good old Flint, but they are hoping for their return are many moons.

Miss Ethel Muffy has taken up her residence in Detroit, and is understood to be engaged in a beauty business.

Three young people from over Canada are taking up their residence in Flint—Misses Myrel Jackson, Gertrude Christian and Catherine Tudhope, the two former being employed in auto factories and the latter attending school.

Jesse Waterman, of Chicago, was a guest at the residence of George F. Tripp for a week in the latter part of August.

Miss Margaret Leveck, who has been teaching at the school here for the past ten years, has accepted a similar position at the Texas School. She departed thither the first of September, intending to stop in Louisiana for a short visit with friends.

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Two-base hits—Connors, Keweenaw, Shanks. First on balls—Off Heintz, 4; off Manning, 4

## SEATTLE

On Sunday, September 9th, there was a gathering of the clans at the Bodley home in honor of the birthday of the master of the house. There was a good gathering, we think about forty, and John was presented with a handsome smoking stand and a goodly supply of cigars as a token of goodwill. There was a card table, but the crowd seemed to feel more like just visiting than doing anything else. Everybody had a pleasant time.

Carl Johnson says, aent his engagement to Bertha Sipp, that the romance did not begin at Spokane, but seven years ago at school. We are sure Carl knows what he is talking about, and are quite willing to change our opinion that the Convention deserved the credit.

Miss Gladys Utter graduated last June from the Seattle Day School, and has been taking a course at Business College in bookkeeping, typing, and filing. When she finishes, in a couple of months, she will be ready to look for an office position.

Miss Esther Bloomquist took a trip a couple of weeks ago with her sister to Mt. Rainier, but got back in time for the Labor Day picnic.

L. O. Christensen did not go to California by auto after all, as something or other ailed the car, and after waiting two days he boarded a reliable railway train and started off on his months' adventures that way. The latest card received from him says he was visiting his sister in Berkeley. Today's papers contain accounts of the dreadful fire there, and also of forest fires in various parts of California, and we fear his vacation will not be as pleasant as he had expected.

Diane Ingraham arrived on Saturday to begin her year's work with Mrs. Hanson, and every one is rejoiced to have her in Seattle for the winter. She brings the news that J. H. O'Leary, our redoubtable ex-president, has bought a new house much larger and in every way more elegant than his old one. It has a pipeless furnace, and Diane says is a beautiful home. Congratulations to our good friend and his wife!

Mr. and Mrs. Dortero spent the week end at Camano recently, a neighbor driving them over in their new car, as John does not yet feel equal to driving it himself.

Mr. Bjorquist was in town last week to meet the pupils who were going to Vancouver for another school year.

When the Bertrams moved to Seattle, June 1st, Marion, their twelve-year old daughter, could not swim a stroke. She was eager to learn, and at once set about doing so. She became so proficient that in seven short weeks she won the championship in a contest conducted at Madrona Park by one of the daily papers. Girls from all the playgrounds in the city, took part in this contest, and the stroke Marion excelled in was the breast stroke. She swam fifteen yards under water and thereby won her master's certificate in addition to the silver medal. Marion is tall and slim for her age, and very quick of eye and movement, and we think her winning these honors in so short a time shows she has a fine athletic record before her.

As printing is somewhat dull now Carl Garrison is no longer with W. S. Root, but has a new job with the Metropolitan Building Company to install new electric lights in countless offices.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin on September 14th. Mrs. Martin was formerly Miss Rosie Clays.

Grace Wright, the youngest child of A. W. Wright, is spending a year in South Dakota with an uncle, the doctors thinking a change of climate desirable for her.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riley were at the Bodley party on the 9th, and their friends were all delighted to see them. They have been visiting the Lindeds, near Portland and the Divines at Vancouver; the Lindeds are now living in an attractive home, eight miles from Portland, and if they desire will buy it at the end of a year's residence. The Divines are struggling with their prune crop, which is a bumper one this year. The Rileys will finish paying for their house in March, and then they will fall into line and buy an auto. George is already considering the various makes.

THE HANSONS.

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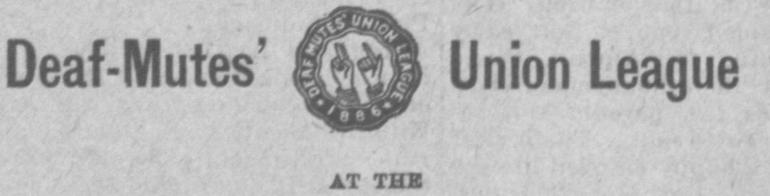
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